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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3555**  
Takayuki ABE et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2005\_1034A  
Serial No. 10/540,487 : Group Art Unit 1794  
Filed June 23, 2005 : Examiner Hoa T. Le

POLYGONAL BARREL SPUTTERING  
DEVICE, POLYGONAL BARREL  
SPUTTERING METHOD, COATED FINE  
PARTICLE FORMED BY THE DEVICE AND  
METHOD, MICRO CAPSULE, AND METHOD  
OF PRODUCING THE MICRO CAPSULE

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

: **Mail Stop: AMENDMENT**

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**RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450


Sir:

Pursuant to the requirement contained in the Office Action mailed July 9, 2008,  
applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-4 and 20-22, drawn to a polygonal barrel sputtering  
device.

In view of this election, a full examination on the merits of the present application is  
respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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